FACT SHEET

CITY OF SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA

TITLE
A Resolution authorizing the City of December 16, 2021
Shreveport, Louisiana, Purchasing Agent to reject all bids received for Valencia Spray
Park. Bid IFB #21-063 and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

DATE
December 16, 2021
Purchasing Division
CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT
District "B"
SPONSOR

PURPOSE

To authorize the Purchasing Agent, or her designee, to reject all bids received for IFB-21-063.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

On December 9, 2021, one (1) bid was received for Valencia Spray Park Bid IFB #21-063. The designer's estimate was \$125,000 and the bid submitted was for \$247,000.

The Purchasing Agent may reject any and all bids and readvertise for bids with the approval of the City Council pursuant to Shreveport City Charter Sec. 10.07. In addition, La. R.S. 38:2214 B, authorizes the City to reject any and all bids for "just cause."

"Just cause" under these facts and circumstances is authorized in <u>La. R.S. 38:2214</u> B(2), whereby here all bids were over the project budget.

| TIMETABLE | | ATTACHMENT(S) |
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| Introduction: | December 28, 2021 | NA |
| Final Passage: | January 11, 2022 | |
| SPECIAL PROCE | EDURAL REQUIREMENTS | |
| NA | | |
| FINANCES | | SOURCE OF FUNDS |
| NA | | NA |
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ALTERNATIVES

(1) Adopt the Resolution as submitted, or (2) Amend the Resolution, or (3) Reject the Resolution.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the City Council adopt the Resolution.

FACT SHEET PREPARED BY: Angela McNicoll, Senior Buyer

Purchasing Division

RESOLUTION NO. ____ OF <u>2021</u>

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA, PURCHASING AGENT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR THE VALENCIA SPRAY PARK BID IFB #21-063 AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

BY: COUNCILMEMBER

WHEREAS, on December 9, 2021, one (1) bid was received as a result of solicitation for Valencia Spray Park (IFB-21-063); and

WHEREAS, the bid of \$247,000.00 was over the project budget of \$125,000.00; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Shreveport City Charter <u>Sec. 10.07</u>, the Purchasing Agent may reject any and all bids and readvertise for bids with the approval of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Shreveport City Code <u>Sec. 26-268</u> the City has adopted, by reference, portions of the Louisiana Public Bid Law (La. R.S. 38:2184 through 38:2316) for public works; and

WHEREAS, <u>La. R.S. 38:2214</u> B, authorizes the City to reject any and all bids for "*just cause*;" and

WHEREAS, "*just cause*" under these facts and circumstances is authorized in <u>La. R.S.</u> 38:2214 B(2), whereby all bids were over the project budget; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the City Council and Purchasing Agent, and/or his/her designee, that such action is being taken in the best interests of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, in due, legal and regular session convened that:

SECTION 1. The "whereas" clauses above are herein adopted as part of this Resolution.

SECTION 2. The Purchasing Agent, or his/her designee, is hereby authorized to reject all bid(s) received for IFB #21-063.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor of the City of Shreveport, or his/her designee, shall be and is hereby authorized to do any and all things and to sign any and all documents in a form acceptable to the City Attorney, or his/her designee, necessary to effectuate the purposes set forth herein.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any provision or item of this Resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications, and to this end the provisions of this resolution are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall become effective in accordance with the provisions of <u>Shreveport City Charter Section 4.23</u>.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all resolutions, ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

THUS DONE AND RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana.

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

| City Attorney's Office | |
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